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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the Seventh Saturday in 1940
(*17th February* 1940.)

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 17th February 1940						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		'Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1940						
				This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		
1	2		3	4		5		6		7
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten year fortnightly average
												Seers	Seers	Seers
BANGALORE														
Bangalore(observatory)	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	41	—0	41				
Hoskote ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	31	—0	31				
Dodballapur ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	44	—0	44				
Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	22	—0	22	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·50	6·50	6·50
Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	05	0	00	0	29	—0	29				
Magadi ...	0	00	0	06	0	00	0	39	—0	39	Ragi	15·00	15·00	15·00
Channapatna ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	36	—0	36				
Aneka! ...	0	00	0	04	0	00	0	45	—0	45	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	14·50
Devanhalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	22	0	40	—0	18				
Closepet ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	37	—0	37	Kadale	6·00	6·00	6·00
District average ...	0	00	0	07	0	02	0	36	—0	34				
KOLAR														
Kolar ...	0	00	0	04	0	00	0	58	—0	58				
Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	06	0	00	0	59	—0	59				
Chintamani ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	40	—0	40				
Mulbagal ...	0	00	0	04	0	00	0	75	—0	75	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·00	7·00
Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	48	—0	48				
Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	00	0	09	0	60	—0	51	Ragi	14·00	13·50	13·00
Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	29	—0	29				
Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	33	—0	33	Kulthi	15·00	13·00	11·00
Malur ...	0	00	0	04	0	00	0	53	—0	53				
Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	02	0	16	0	62	—0	46	Kadale	6·00	6·00	7·00
Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	48	—0	48				
District average ...	0	00	0	03	0	02	0	51	—0	49				
TUMKUR														
Tumkur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	19	—0	19				
Madhugiri ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	34	—0	34				
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	23	—0	23	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	9·00	5·00
Sira ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	33	—0	33				
Gubbi ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	18	—0	18	Ragi	16·00	16·00	11·00
Tiptur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	18	—0	18				
Pavagada ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	38	—0	38	Kulthi	15·00	16·00	12·00
Kunigal ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	18	—0	18				
Koratagere ...	0	00	0	04	0	00	0	30	—0	30	Kadale	6·50	6·50	5·00
Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	26	—0	26				
District average ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	26	—0	26				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 17th February 1940										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1940									
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore (observatory)	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	32	— 0	32	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	9·00
Chamarajnagar ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	32	— 0	32				
Hunsur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	32	— 0	32	Ragi	16·00	13·00	14·00
Krishnarajnagar ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	30	— 0	30				
Heggaddevankote	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	39	— 0	39	Kulthi	8·00	8·00	9·00
Gundlupet ...	0	00	0	06	0	00	0	45	— 0	45				
Nanjangud ...	0	00	0	04	0	00	0	48	— 0	48	Kadale	14·00	10·00	10·00
T.-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	31	— 0	31				
Periyapatna ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	42	— 0	42				
District average ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	36	— 0	36				
MANDYA														
Mandya (observatory)	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	37	— 0	37				
Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	35	— 0	35	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9·00
Malvalli ...	0	00	0	05	0	00	0	22	— 0	22				
Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	26	— 0	26				
Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	29	— 0	29	Ragi	18·00	18·00	17·00
Maddur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	29	— 0	29				
French-Rocks ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	32	— 0	32	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	16·00
District average ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	30	— 0	30				
HASSAN											Kadale	6·00	6·00	8·00
Hassan (observatory)	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	32	— 0	32				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	21	— 0	21	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9·00
Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	44	— 0	44				
Belur ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	34	— 0	34	Ragi	18·00	18·00	17·00
Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	19	— 0	19				
Arsikere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	31	— 0	31	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	16·00
Hole-Narsipur ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	25	— 0	25				
Alur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	35	— 0	35	Kadale	6·00	6·00	8·00
District average ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	30	— 0	30				
SHIMOGA														
Shimoga ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	21	— 0	21				
Channagiri ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	20	— 0	20				
Honnali ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	32	— 0	32	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	8·00	5·75
Shikarpur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	13	— 0	13				
Scrab ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	15	— 0	15	Ragi	17·00	17·00	14·31
Sagar ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	22	— 0	22				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	17	— 0	17	Kulthi	11·50	11·00	8·84
Tirthahalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	22	— 0	22				
Kumsi ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	15	— 0	15				
District average ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	19	— 0	19				
KADUR														
Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	05	0	00	0	35	— 0	35				
Kadur ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	28	— 0	28	Rice, 2nd sort.	9·00	9·00	9·00
Tarikere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	30	— 0	30				
Koppa ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	35	— 0	35	Ragi	16·00	16·00	16·00
Mudgere ...	0	00	0	01	0	09	0	27	— 0	27				
Narasimharajpura ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	16	— 0	16	Kulthi	15·00	14·00	14·00
Sringeri ...	0	00	0	00	0	42	0	24	— 0	24				
District average ...	0	00	0	01	0	07	0	27	— 0	20	Kadale	8·00	8·00	8·00
CHITALDRUG														
Chitaldrug(observatory)	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	41	— 0	41				
Challakere ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	28	— 0	28	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	7·00
Hiriyur ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	21	— 0	21				
Holalkere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	27	— 0	27	Ragi	16·00	16·00	14·00
Davangere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	12	— 0	12				
Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	36	— 0	36	Kulthi	16·00	16·00	12·00
Jagalur ...	0	00	0	02	0	00	0	45	— 0	45				
Hosdurga ...	0	00	0	05	0	00	0	28	— 0	28	Cholum	16·00	18·00	14·00
Harihar ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	24	— 0	24				
District average ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	29	— 0	29	Kadale	7·00	7·00	7·00
Provincial average ...	0	00	0	01	0	01	0	31	— 0	30				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Coracana.
Kulthi—Horsegram) Dolichos Biflorus.
Cholum—Sorghum Vulgere.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Avare, thogari, paddy and sugarcane in all parts of the district; and potatoes in Hoskote Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy and sugarcane in all parts of the district; avare and thogari in parts of Hoskote and Closepet Taluks.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Paddy in Kolar and Sidlaghatta Taluks: potatoes in Chikballapur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, paddy, jola, potatoes, avare and onions are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnuts, paddy, avare, sugarcane, horsegram, ragi, thogari in several taluks of the district.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Fodder and water are generally available.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Paddy in Tumkur, Chiknaikanhalli, Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada and Koratagere Taluks is reported to have been sown.

Standing Crops.—Paddy in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Pavagada and Koratagere Taluks; sugarcane in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere Taluks; avare and thogari in Tiptur and Turuvekere Taluks; cholam in Chiknaikanhalli and Turuvekere Taluks; cotton in Pavagada Taluk; kadale in Gubbi Taluk; kulthi in Madhugiri Taluk and castor seeds in Turuvekere Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks; avare and thogari in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Tiptur, Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; sugarcane in Kunigal and Turuvekere Taluks; tobacco in Sira Taluk; kadale in Chicknaikanahalli Taluk; and kulthi in Madhugiri Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are also reported to be available.

Public health is reported to be generally good.

It is reported that there is rat fall at Melkote a village in Tumkur Taluk.

Necessary remedial measures are being taken to check the spread of the epidemic.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Tobacco in Heggaddevankote; bengalgram in Chamarajnagar; castor in Nanjangud; mulberry in T.-Narsipur; and bengalgram in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi, horsegram and paddy in Chamarajnagar; ragi, horsegram and paddy in Hunsur; paddy in Krishnarajnagar and bengalgram in Periyapatna Sub-Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in parts of Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud, Periyapatna and Hunsur Taluks. The necessary preventive measures are being taken by the Veterinary and Revenue Departments to check the spread of the disease. Except for this, cattle are reported to be healthy in all other parts of the district.

MANDYA.

8. Well supplied

9. *Seeds Sown.*—It is reported that paddy is being transplanted in Nagamangala Taluk and sugarcane in parts of Maddur Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in parts of Maddur, Mandya, French-Rocks and Seringapatam Taluks; paddy in parts of Mandya, Nagamangala and French-Rocks Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Togari, avare and hutchellu in parts of Maddur and Nagamangala Taluks; paddy in Krishnarajpet Taluk; sugarcane in parts of Maddur, Mandya, French-Rocks and Malvalli Taluks are being harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Water and fodder are reported to be available.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Such as paddy and sugarcane in Hassan Taluk; sugarcane in Belur Taluk; coriander, bengalgram, avare and karu paddy (ಕಾರುಭತ್ತ) in Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and sugarcane in Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

9. *Crops Harvested.*—Threshing operations of ragi in Chennarayapatna and Arkalgud Taluks; paddy and ragi in Belur Taluk; and horsegram, cariander and avare in Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in progress.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be favourable.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in all the taluks; cotton in Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; jola greengram, avare and other dry crops in the taluks of Chennagiri, Honnali and Sorab are in good condition. Wheat in Honnali Taluk is also in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in Shikarpur, Sorab Sagar, Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; jola, and other dry crops in Chennagiri, Honnali and Sorab Taluks; areca in Tirthahalli Taluk are being harvested. Sugarcane milling operations are going on in all taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

Agricultural Operations.—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, avare, bengalgram, summer jola, wheat, coffee, cardamom and sweet potatoes are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane, avare, coffee and cardamom are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be in good health.

Water and fodder are available to them throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplantation of paddy in Hiriyur Taluk is going on in places where there are water facilities.

Standing Crops.—Such as cotton, paddy, kadale, bili jola, castor, wheat and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Kadle in parts of Chitaldrug Taluk; cotton in Chellakere Taluk; ragi, thogari, avare and horsegram in Holalkere Taluk; kadle, sugarcane and cotton in Davangere Taluk; horsegram and thogari in Molakalmuru Taluk; cotton bili jola and wheat in Jagalur Taluk; thogari, avare and horsegram in Hosdurga Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are available.

There was no rainfall in the district during the week.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, 20th February 1940.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram, at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 17th February 1940.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse-gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North	6	8	15	0	14	0
	,, South	6	0	13	0	15	0
	Hoskote	7	0	15	0	15	0
	Dodballapur	6	8	14	0	9	8
	Nelamangala	7	0	16	0	16	0
	Kankanhalli	7	0	14	0	20	0
	Magadi	8	8	16	0	16	0
	Channapatna	7	8	14	0	16	0
	Aneksl	6	4	15	0	15	0
	Devanhalli	8	0	15	0	15	0
	Closepet	7	0	16	0	16	0
Kolar	Kolar	7	8	14	0	15	0
	Bowringpet	8	0	14	0	14	0
	Chintamani	7	0	14	0	12	0
	Mulbagal	not received					
	Sidlaghatta	7	0	13	0	11	0
	Chikballapur	8	8	15	0	9	8
	Bagepalli	7	8	16	0	10	0
	Goribidnur	7	0	16	0	10	0
	Malur	not received					
	Srinivaspur	7	0	14	0	9	0
	Gudibanda	7	8	15	0	10	0
Tumkur	Tumkur	8	0	16	0	15	0
	Madhugiri	8	0	16	0	10	0
	Chiknaikanhalli	9	0	20	0	20	0
	Sira	9	0	16	8	17	0
	Gubbi	8	0	16	0	15	0
	Tiptur	8	0	16	0	17	0
	Pavagada	8	8	17	0	11	0
	Kunigal	8	0	16	0	18	0
	Koratagere	8	0	20	0	16	0
	Turvekere	8	0	16	0	16	0
Mysore	Mysore	7	0	16	8	14	0
	Chamarajnagar	8	0	16	8	12	0
	Hunsur	8	0	18	0	16	0
	Krishnarajnagar	8	0	17	0	12	0
	Heggaddevankote	8	8	16	0	16	0
	Gundlupet	8	0	16	0	14	0
	Nanjangud	7	0	13	8	15	0
	T.-Narsipur	8	8	15	8	14	0
	Periyapatna	10	0	18	0	16	0

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas					
		Rice, 2nd sort		Ragi		Horse-gram	
		Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.	Srs.	ch.
Mandya	Mandya	8	0	14	0	13	0
	Seringapatam	7	0	14	0	12	0
	Malvalli	8	0	16	0	14	0
	Krishnarajpet	9	0	15	0	16	0
	Nagamangala	8	0	16	0	12	0
	Maddur	7	0	13	0	8	8
	French-Rocks	8	8	14	0	14	0
Hassan	Hassan	9	0	18	0	16	0
	Manjarabad	10	0	14	0	14	0
	Arkalgud	11	0	23	0	18	0
	Belur	9	0	16	0	15	0
	Channarayapatna	8	9	18	0	16	0
	Arsikere	10	0	16	0	16	0
	Hole-Narsipur	10	0	18	0	18	0
	Alur	11	0	18	0	16	0
Shimoga	Shimoga	9	0	17	0	11	8
	Channagiri	10	0	17	0	12	0
	Honnali	8	8	16	0	14	0
	Shikarpur	10	0	20	0	14	0
	Sorab	12	0	18	0	14	0
	Sagar	7	8	17	0	14	8
	Hosanagar	10	8	15	0	12	0
	Tirthahalli	10	0	16	0	12	8
	Kumsi	10	0	20	0	15	0
Kadur	Chikmagalur	9	0	16	0	15	0
	Kadur	9	8	20	0	16	0
	Tarikere	10	0	16	0	16	0
	Koppa	8	8	14	8	10	0
	Mudgere	9	8	13	8	13	8
	Narasimharajpura	11	0	18	0	14	0
	Sringeri	12	0	16	0	12	0
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	8	0	16	0	16	0
	Challakere	9	0	17	0	13	0
	Hiriyur	9	0	19	0	20	0
	Holalkere	7	0	16	0	16	0
	Davangere	8	0	18	0	14	0
	Molakalmuru	8	0	17	0	13	0
	Jagalur	8	0	18	0	16	0
	Hosdurga	9	0	20	0	15	0
	Harihar	8	0	20	0	11	0

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore, the 20th February 1940.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.